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#### TALK OF THE TOWN

To-night, dance at Socialist hall, Granite street, for the Christofole Colon band. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the band—adv.

Just received, a new shipment of hats—the latest modes of the city. Call and select. Prices right. Mrs. Blar Mariani, 47 Warren street.

Today we will sell you a good used upright piano, fancy walnut case, three pedals, full seven and one-third octaves, for \$100. See \$275. Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

Seven men from the Perry Auto Co's garage on Washington street returned yesterday from Buffalo, N. Y., with as many cars from the Buffalo plant of the Ford Auto company. Winter has not left some of the rural districts through which the tourists passed, but the trip, on the whole, was made without incident.

Hunting and fishing licenses, the arrival of which was delayed for several days, have been received at the city clerk's office and anglers who wish to take the first step toward preparedness in the annual spring drive on brook trout are advised to apply at once. The price of the licenses remains unchanged, and fishermen may not engage in the quest of the seductive trout without renewing, as all licenses issued last year are now null and void.

#### WILLIAMSTOWN

The old-fashioned kitchen junket given by the "bachelor girls" on Friday evening was a grand success, \$13.25 being realized after expenses were paid, which was turned over to the local Red Cross. Much credit is due the "bachelor girls" for their efforts and it is hoped they will continue the good work.

A canvasser for the pledge cards for the local Red Cross has been assigned for each part of the town and it is hoped that everyone will respond as generously as possible. There is no one in the town but what can sacrifice a few cents each month and if all do it will mean a substantial income each month for the support of the society and will eliminate constant begging. Our boys are sacrificing their lives to save our country; we must sacrifice our cents and dollars to save them, and you can do that by helping the Red Cross.

## Young Men's Suits

- ❏ We are showing some nob-by things in young men's suits.
- ❏ Our line of Blue Serges and Flannels for graduation.
- ❏ A look will mean a sale.

The  
**Frank McWhorter Co.**

#### BARRE DAILY TIMES

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1918.

#### The Weather

Generally fair to-night and Sunday; warmer Sunday; light variable winds, mostly west.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Pianos \$150 to \$300. Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

Owing to the purchase of wall papers in large quantities in anticipation of the present prices, we are able to sell you these goods at very near the old price. That room needs papering, so get busy right now. B. W. Hooker & Co.

Paquale Isadernia of Pearl street, who has been employed at Miers' up-town barber shop for several months, left today for New York for a stay of several weeks. Mr. Isadernia expects to be accompanied to Barre by his mother, who is coming from Italy, and his two sisters.

Luke Gallagher of Short street, who passed several days in Boston while conferring with the manager of the Quincy house relative to a position in that well known mecca of New England travelers, has decided to remain in Barre. Mr. Gallagher opened his Depot square shing stand today.

H. M. Farnham, the horseman, had a big sale at Montpelier yesterday, a large crowd attending. Forty second-hand or commission horses went through the ring at prices ranging from \$30 to \$175, wags, harnesses, blankets, whips and farm tools were disposed of. The carload of fresh horses that were due to arrive yesterday morning did not reach Montpelier until midnight last night. Transportation facilities are very uncertain these days. C. F. Smith, auctioneer.

By defeating Rova of Montpelier in the second five frames at candlepins last evening Charles Colombo of Barre tightened his grip on the twin city championship. The second five of the ten string, scheduled by Colombo and Rova were rolled on the Meigs & Daley lanes in Montpelier, where a large gallery of bowling fans witnessed the encounter. Neither bowler was in the form exhibited on the previous evening. Mr. Colombo is anxious to arrange individual matches with other Montpelier bowlers. A conference may be arranged at Merlo's academy on North Main street, telephone 484-R.

Contractor J. C. DeBrune, who has been in charge of extensive lumbering operations for Ward, Cutler, Gladding on the Wilson farm at South Barre, went to Waterbury this morning with County Supervisor R. S. Currier of the highway department. Mr. DeBrune has been engaged to build a Telford road which the federal government and the state highway department are to finance. It will extend from the village to the tail mines, and actual work on the excavation, it is expected, will be started around May 1. To-day the county supervisor and the contractor, with their assistants, were engaged in getting levels and staking out the new permanent road.

A Trow hill farmer, noting the disappearance of a valuable harness from his barn, followed the clew to this city and then turned the hunt over to the police. The spirited denial of any knowledge of the theft was taken with a grain of salt. The chief advised the immediate return of the missing harness and with the suspects still proclaiming their innocence, left the premises where they reside. Night before last the harness was spirited back to its peg in the barn of the Trow hill farmer, and apparently the messengers who were the return thought they were not observed. The matter of prosecuting the alleged thieves is being considered by the state's attorney.

Another sidelight on the championship basketball game at Morrisville Monday evening, when the Spaulding high school team clinched its hold on the state title, is given in the Morrisville News and Citizens, as follows: The state interscholastic basketball championship was settled here Monday night by Spaulding high school of Barre, which defeated Burlington high school by the score of 30 to 26. The game was close and keen throughout and was witnessed by about 400 eager fans.

While the playing of both teams was enthusiastically cheered by the local fans, Spaulding seemed to be the favorite. B. H. S. showed superior team work throughout, but Spaulding's ability to get the sphere through the cage and to finish strong pulled them through.

The apron and food sale under the auspices of the Woman's association of the Congregational church, which was held in the church parlors yesterday afternoon and evening, proved very successful. The proceeds of the sale, which included ready purchasers, while the food, which was made after the most approved war-time recipes, was rapidly disposed of. At 4 o'clock there was a story hour for the children, when a merry time was enjoyed. The sale closed with a patriotic entertainment last evening, which was well attended. The soloists were Katherine Young, who enthusiastically sang "The Star Spangled Banner," and the children, each with a flag, joined in the chorus. Miss Young also rendered, "If You'll Be a Soldier, I'll Be a Red Cross Nurse." Mr. Goss was the soloist in "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and Mr. Clark sang "When the Flag Goes By." Also "There's a Service Flag Flying at Our House," at which time the service flag of the Congregational church, bearing 37 stars, was displayed on the stage. The entertainment closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner." The concert showed the result of careful preparation and was much enjoyed by all.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Agreeable to the provisions of section 543 P. S., all taxpayers are required to make an inventory of all their taxable real and personal estate or property for the year beginning on the first day of April, 1918, and return same to the assessors on or before the 20th day of April, 1918, or they will be assessed as per section 543, P. S.

Accordo del Articolo 543 del Pubblico Statuto, sono in obbligo tutti di fare e presentare un inventario di tutti, la proprietà tanto come mobile ed immobiliare, ed altre proprietà personale tassabile per l'anno cominciando il primo giorno di Aprile 1918 e presentare lo stesso ai Assessori al prima del 20 Aprile 1918. O sono diretto accordo del Articolo 543. Argio L. Noyes, Martin Riley, Assessori per la Città di Barre.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Sheet music 10c copy at Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

Mrs. John Flynn of Waterbury visited with friends in the city yesterday.

"The Hun at the Gate," a war sermon, Presbyterian church, 7 o'clock to-morrow night.

A telephone has been placed in the home of Angelo Calderara. The number is 21-2—adv.

Mrs. Floyd Deering and Mrs. John Sawyer of Northfield were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin L. Tillotson of Middlesex are spending a few days in the city with relatives.

Leonard Thomson arrived in the city last evening from Springfield, where he is employed in a munition plant, to spend a few days with friends in the city.

The Ministers' Monday club will meet in the parlor of the Baptist church on Monday at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Lewis Carson of Montpelier will read a paper on "Why We Believe in Evolution."

Thurman W. Dix, formerly of this city, but now located in Burlington, has been appointed city engineer in that place. Mr. Dix is on the engineering faculty at the University of Vermont.

Joseph Kovalsky of Beacon street, who recently disposed of his real estate on that thoroughfare to Martin Riley, Jr., is passing the week end in Burlington. Mr. Kovalsky contemplates a change in business location, and may leave town in the near future.

Among the mail carriers at the post-office, interest in the thrift stamp campaign has reached a high pitch, and a good deal of rivalry has been developed among the messengers in gray. Each day's returns from every carrier's route are posted on a bulletin board.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robinson of New York, F. A. Allen of Perry, N. Y., J. L. Guthrie of Burlington, William C. Cushman of Chicago, Paul Knight of Claremont, N. H., William A. Egle of Philadelphia, William H. Teetsworth of Lawrence, Mass., W. H. Ripley of Barton, Edward J. Green of Burlington, H. L. Moore of Springfield.

Sergt. Lauraine Densmore, who has been pursuing a special course at Norwich university during the past three months while on a furlough from Spaulding, S. C., where the 1st Vermont regiment is stationed, arrived in the city last evening from Northfield, having completed the course there this week. He was accompanied by Victor Ossola, who is enrolled in the freshman class at Norwich, and who will visit for a few days at his home on George street. Both Sergt. Densmore and Mr. Ossola will take the entrance examination for the Annapolis naval academy at Montpelier next Tuesday.

Before a fair-sized audience in the opera house last evening the two-act comedy farce, "Henpecked Henry," was presented by the Gaskill-Macvittie company, which left this forenoon for Montpelier, where they are booked for this evening. William Cushman and Virginia Bannister, in the roles of Henry Bower and wife, headed the cast and from the start to the finish, Henry's docile characteristics were brought into light by his fair better half, causing no end of merriment. The scene was laid in the drawing room of a Chicago residence, where Lucille O'Dea, as Fay Davenport, an actress, and her chorus received hearty applause for their efforts in both dancing and singing. Harry O'Leary in the role of Jasper, a negro servant, was warmly applauded in his solo, which was entitled "Kaiser Bill."

A short prayer service for Miss Berenice Winifred Hoar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hoar of East street, who passed away Thursday morning, will be held at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lewis Keith, in Westville Sunday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock. The funeral will be held in the Barre Congregational church at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. James Ramage, pastor of the East Barre Congregational church, officiating. The body will be placed in the receiving vault at 4 o'clock. Efforts to locate Lewis K. Hoar, a brother of the deceased who is a sailor in the U. S. navy, were successful yesterday, communication having been established by wireless. The young man is expected to arrive home in time for the funeral.

At the quarterly meeting of the Barre City Hospital Aid association yesterday afternoon encouraging reports were received from various departments. Since Jan. 1 the income of the hospital has been \$382.20, and expenditures for supplies, as indicated in the report of Miss Mildred Phelps, the treasurer, aggregated \$233.02. Mrs. C. W. Averill, chairman of the buying committee, submitted an itemized report covering the various purchases made in the work of creating a reserve of hospital clothing and other supplies. The following supplies, as shown by the report of Mrs. J. H. Johnson, were contributed during the quarter: 23 sheets, 23 pillow slips, 12 blank, 25 8-cloth, 21 draw sheets, 12 night shirts, 69 towels, 13 binders, 41 tray cloths. Mrs. C. W. Steele of the reading committee reported that reading matter has been secured for many people, and sending their magazines to the boys in France. Several people have given what they could of books and magazines, but the wish is expressed that a greater variety of literature might be donated.

#### MAPLE SUGAR MARKET.

Supplies Light in Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

St. Albans, April 6.—The United States bureau of markets reports: Boston, sugar supplies light, demand good, market firm, small cakes, light brown, fancy, 30c-32c, others 27c-28c, darker 25c-26c; syrup supply light, demand good, best 22c, other 21c.

New York, supplies syrup and sugar negligible, few sales sugar to retailers 24c-26c, jobbing 22c-24c; syrup, 22c-24c, 22c-24c.

Philadelphia, sugar and syrup supplies very light, no sales reported.

#### RATIONING SUCCESSFUL.

Although There Were About 10,000,000 in London to Feed.

London, April 6.—Commenting on the first week of the London rationing scheme, Lord Rensdale, British food controller, appeared to be quite satisfied with the result. He said so far as was known the great bulk of the population of nearly 10,000,000 affected had been able to secure their fair share of supplies. It was, he thought, the evident desire of the public and the various bodies to co-operate with the measures for the rationing of food. He had no illusions that by a stroke of the pen he could create in a day or a week a hard and fast plan of rationing that would prove inflexible. He was satisfied, however, that, with the continued good will of the public, all difficulties in the way of an equitable distribution of food could be surmounted.

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## SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

**TIMES AND PLACES OF WORSHIP AND SUBJECTS OF SERMONS**

**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**—Services held every Sunday in Worthen hall. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Meeting at 3 p. m. Everybody invited.

**Washington Baptist Church**—W. H. Bishop, pastor. Bible school at 12:30. Afternoon service at 2:30. Subject, "The Pharisee and the Publican." All welcome.

**St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church, Westville**—W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:30. Note change in hour of service.

**Berlin Corners Congregational Church**—Frank Blomfield, pastor. At 10:45, morning service, address by the pastor; subject, "Rescue in Time of Storm." Sunday school at noon.

**Christian Science Church**—Service at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. To these services all are welcome. The reading-room is open Tuesday, Thursdays and Saturdays from 3 to 5.

**Westerville Baptist Church**—W. H. Bishop, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Subject, "The Pharisee and the Publican." Bible school at 11:30. Evening service at 7:30. Subject, "Gideon's Band." All welcome.

**East Barre Congregational Church**—James Ramage, pastor. Subject of talk to young people, "Being Glad." Sermon topic, "The Conquering Christ." Sunday school following. Christian Endeavor service in the evening at 7:30. Subject, "Bible Reading." All invited.

**Church of the Good Shepherd**—W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Holy communion and sermon at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Note the change in the hour of service. Devotional reading and instruction Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

**First Baptist Church**—Bert J. Lehigh, pastor; residence, 27 Franklin street. The pastor will preach on Sunday, 10:30 and 7 o'clock. Morning subject, "Running for the Prize." Evening theme, "In the Master's Steps." Bible school at 12 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Prayer service on Thursday evening at 7:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.

**First Presbyterian Church**, corner of Seminary and Summer streets—Edgar Crossland, pastor. 10:30 a. m. worship and sermon; sermon theme, "The Man Born Blind." Bible school at noon. 7 p. m., "The Hun at the Gate," a war sermon. The first anniversary of America in the war. Frank G. Howland will be the four-minute speaker for the third Liberty loan. Seats free. Everybody welcome to the services of this church.

**Hedding Methodist Episcopal Church**—Bailey Gatzert Lipsky, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; sermon theme, "Fighting with Christ." Reception of members. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon will be preached by Rev. John O. Holton, D. D. of West Virginia. Sunday school at 11:45. Epworth league at 5:45; the concluding of the reading of Ralph Connor's "The Major." Class meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Prayer service Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

**Congregational Church**—Rev. Mr. Goodspeed will preach both morning and evening. Morning service at 10:30; sermon topic, "The First Fruits of the Cross." Sunday school at noon. Junior Philathea class meets at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. Subject of sermon, "Keeping Up Courage in War Times." The music for the morning service is: Organ, "In Paraisium" (Duhois), "Pastorale" (Bonnet); choir, "Unfold Ye Portals" (from Gounod's "Redemption") and "Nearer, My God, to Thee" (Adams). Evening—Choir, "Falls Now the Even"

(Franz-Ryder) and "In Heavenly Love Abiding" (Brown).

**Universalist Church**—John B. Reardon, minister. Public worship and sermon at 10:30; subject, "Shall the World Be Ruled by Democracy or Despotism?" (This is Liberty loan Sunday.) The Lord's supper will be observed at the close of the sermon. Bible study at 11:45; subject, "Jesus Sets Men Free." Devotional meeting of the Young People's Christian union in the vestry at 6; subject, "Thoughts Suggested by Spring"; leader, Rachel Cutler. At the Sunday morning service Prof. W. A. Wheaton will play "Prelude from Lohengrin" (Wagner) and "Postlude in F"

(Vockner). The quartet will sing "I Will Extol Thee" (Forsythe) and "Christian, the Morn Breaks Sweetly O'er Thee" (Shelley). Offertory duet, "The Crucifix" (Faure), Mr. Bain and Mr. Goss.

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TO RENT—At 55 Avers street, a 5-room cottage with hot water, furnace, bath room and pantry, and modern conveniences; vacant Apr. 15; apply at 57 Avers street. 1917

LOST—A starting crank for Chalmers automobile on road to South Barre, or Washington street; finder please notify 61 Elm street, Barre, Vt. 1917

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MONDAY, APRIL 8

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TUESDAY, APRIL 9

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"FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE WORLD"

by Capt. Edwin Becker Hesser, with all-star cast. This is the best Goldwyn feature ever made, and we cannot urge our patrons too much to see this evening to see this play. Pathe News.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

THE PLAY THAT HAS BROKEN EVERY THEATRE RECORD IN BOSTON AND NEW YORK AND ALL METROPOLITAN CITIES

"THE PRICE OF A GOOD TIME"

adapted from "The Whim" by Marion Orth, which appeared in "Snappy Stories." This play will fill the house to capacity, and those who can should attend the matinee for seats. The story of an appealingly beautiful young saleswoman in the store of a millionaire, whose son attempts to lighten her burden.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

THE SUNSHINE MAID. JUNE CAPLAN. IN A PICTURESQUE ROMANCE OF OLD HOLLAND

"EVERY GIRL'S DREAM"

A New Comedy, "HENRY'S ANCESTORS." "Screen Telegram," up-to-the-minute news, and a Travel Picture.

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

MAE MARSH AND E. K. LINCOLN IN A GOLDWYN SPECIAL

"THE BELOVED TRAITOR"

A better play than "Folly of the Circus," "The Cinderella Man," or "Fields of Honor," her former Goldwyn successes. Also extra special, a Sunshine Comedy, "SHADOWS OF HER PAST." It is as good as the best Sunshine.

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

BIG DOUBLE BILL—BUFFALO BILL HIMSELF IN

"THE ADVENTURES OF BUFFALO BILL"

In five acts. Also Shirley Mason in "THE APPLE-TREE GIRL" in five acts and a good Comedy.

SPECIAL NOTICE—"The Adventures of Buffalo Bill" will be shown at the matinee only. Those arriving as late as 2:15 will see the entire show this afternoon. Come early for seats.

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